## Technical Information **MLTWS01**

Thermometer thermowell for use in the Oil & Gas industry

Solutions



### Thermowell fabricated from welded tubes Flanged process connection

#### Application

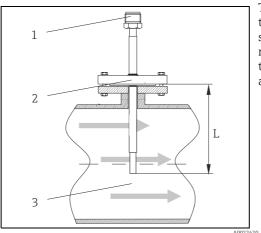
The thermowell is designed for use in the Oil & Gas industry but can also be used for general applications. Modular configuration enables a use in all industrial processes with severe thermal and mechanical stresses.

#### Your benefits

- Thermowell fabricated from welded tubes.
- The process connection is flanged.
- Extension, immersion length and total length can be chosen according to process requirements.
- Special versions can be manufactured according to customer requirements.

#### Function and system design

#### **Equipment architecture**



The device can guarantee a good level of resistance to the most typical and common industrial processes. It is made from a pipe with a diameter 16x3 mm (0.63x0.12 in). The thermowell with reduced tip will be fitted on the plant (pipe or vessel) using a flanged process connection.

Thermowell installation

- 1 Thread M24x1.5
- 2 Process connection: flange
- Plant pipe with flowing process medium
- L Thermowell immersion length

#### Performance characteristics

#### Operating conditions

#### **Process pressure**

The pressure values to which the thermowell can be subjected at the various temperatures and maximum permitted flow velocity, can be calculated online in the thermowell calculation tool: 'Sizing Thermowell'. Occasionally, the pressure loading capacity of the process connection can be considerably lower. The maximum allowable process pressure for a specific thermometer is derived from the lower pressure value of the thermowell and process connection.

Maximum process pressure for the process connection:

| Process connection | Standard | Maximum process pressure   |
|--------------------|----------|--|
| Flange             | EN1092-1 | <ul> <li>DN25 PN40 B1: 40 bar (580 psi) at 20 °C (68 °F)</li> <li>DN25 PN63 B2: 63 bar (914 psi) at 20 °C (68 °F)</li> </ul> |

#### Maximum flow velocity

The highest flow velocity tolerated by the thermowell diminishes with increasing immersion length exposed to the stream of the fluid. Detailed calculation of the flow velocity can be done online in the thermowell calculation tool: 'Sizing Thermowell'.



#### Thermowell sizing tool

The Thermowell sizing' tool can be found on the Endress+Hauser website for online calculation and engineering of all Endress+Hauser thermometer thermowells.

See <a href="https://wapps.endress.com/applicator">https://wapps.endress.com/applicator</a> for more information.

#### Material

Thermowell and process connections.

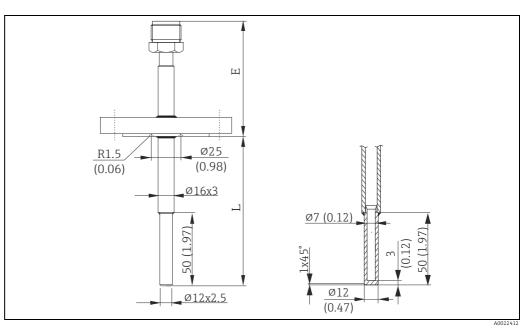
The temperatures for continuous operation specified in the following table are only intended as reference values for use of the various materials in air and without any significant compressive load. The maximum operation temperatures are reduced considerably in some cases where abnormal conditions such as high mechanical load occur or in aggressive media.

| Material name     | Short form        | Recommended<br>max. temperature<br>for continuous use<br>in air | Properties   |
|-------------------|-------------------|---|--|
| AISI 316Ti/1.4571 | X6CrNiMoTi17-12-2 | 700°C (1292°F)  | <ul> <li>Austenitic, stainless steel</li> <li>High corrosion resistance in general</li> <li>Particularly high corrosion resistance in chlorine-based and acidic, non-oxidizing atmospheres through the addition of molybdenum (e.g. phosphoric and sulfuric acids, acetic and tartaric acids with a low concentration)</li> <li>Increased resistance to intergranular corrosion and pitting</li> <li>Addition of titanium means increased resistance to intergranular corrosion even after welding</li> <li>Broad range of uses in the chemical, petrochemical and oil industries as well as in coal chemistry</li> <li>Can only be polished to a limited extent, titanium streaks can form</li> </ul> |

#### **Mechanical construction**

#### Design, dimensions

All dimensions in mm (in).



Thermowell dimensions and tip shape

- E Neck length
- L Immersion length

| Thermowell type | L in mm (in) | E in mm (in) | DN standard pipe sizes |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|------------------------|
| 1               | 235 (9.25)   | 135 (5.3)    | 100                    |
| 2               | 265 (10.43)  | 155 (6.1)    | 150250                 |
| 3               | 325 (12.8)   | 145 (5.7)    | 300500                 |
| 4               | 445 (17.5)   | 125 (4.92)   | 6001000                |

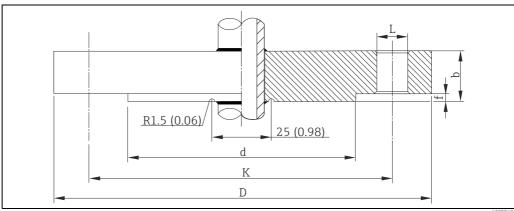
Weight

From 1 to 4 kg (2.2 to 8.8 lbs) for standard options.

#### **Process connection**

Available flange connections according to EN 1092-1:

- EN 1092-1, DN25 PN63
- EN 1092-1, DN25 PN40



Standard flange process connection. Basic dimensions of the available flanges.

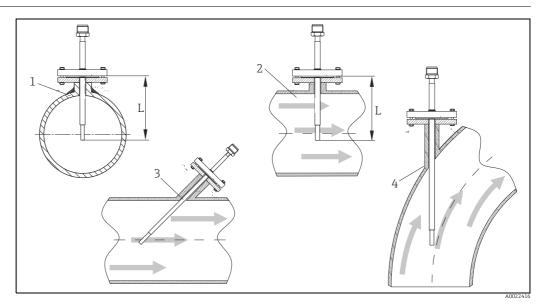
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#### **Installation conditions**

#### Orientation

No restrictions.

#### **Installation instructions**



Installation examples

- 1 2: In pipes with a small cross section the sensor tip should reach or extend slightly past the center line of the pipe (=L)
- 3 4: Tilted installation

The immersion length of the thermometer influences the accuracy. If the immersion length is too small then errors in the measurement are caused by heat conduction via the process connection and the container wall. If installing into a pipe then the immersion length should be half of the pipe diameter, if possible (see 1 and 2). A further solution could be an angled (tilted) installation (see 3 and 4). When determining the immersion length all thermometer parameters and the process to be measured must be taken into account (e.g. flow velocity, process pressure).

- Installation possibilities: Pipes, tanks or other plant components
- The immersion length should correspond to at least 8 times of the thermowell diameter.
- ATEX certification: Always take note of the installation regulations!

#### Certificates and approvals

# The device meets the legal requirements of the EC directives if applicable. Endress+Hauser confirms that the device has been successfully tested by applying the CE mark. PED approval The thermowell complies with paragraph 3.3 of the Pressure Equipment Directive (97/23/EC) and is not marked separately. Material certification The material certificate 3.1 (according to standard EN 10204) can be directly selected from the sales structure of the product and refers to the parts of the sensor in contact with the process fluid. Other types of certificates related to materials can be requested separately. The "short form" certificate includes a simplified declaration with no enclosures of documents related to the materials used in the construction of the single sensor and guarantees the traceability of the materials through the identification number of the thermometer. The data related to the origin of the materials can subsequently be requested by the client if necessary.

#### Test on thermowell

| Helium leak test as per EN 1779                   | Leak test for thermowells, welding seams and threaded joints. Depending on the design and size of the thermowell, it can be subjected to helium gas internally or externally.  With inspection certificate |
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| Pressure test, external procedure                 | External and internal pressure to check the pressure resistance and leak-<br>tightness of thermowells, without flanges.<br>With inspection certificate   |
| Positive material identification (PMI) test       | Nondestructive material identification and testing of welded joints.  Material identification check, X-ray fluorescence analysis  With inspection certificate  |
| Load capacity calculation for the thermowell      | In accordance with DIN 43772 or ASME PTC19.3 with calculation certificate  |
| Dye penetration test as per ASME V and EN571-1    | Suitable for checking welding seam surfaces, e.g. detection of small cracks, etc. With inspection certificate  |
| Radiographic test as per ASME V, VIII, TW welding | With inspection certificate  |

#### Accessories

#### Service-specific accessories

| Accessory  | Description  |
|------------|--|
| Applicator | Software for selecting and sizing Endress+Hauser measuring devices:  Calculation of all the necessary data for identifying the optimum measuring device: e.g. pressure loss, accuracy or process connections.  Graphic illustration of the calculation results.  |
|            | Administration, documentation and access to all project-related data and parameters over the entire life cycle of a project.   |
|            | Applicator is available:  • Via the Internet: https://wapps.endress.com/applicator  • On CD-ROM for local PC installation.   |
| W@M        | Life Cycle Management for your plant W@M supports you with a wide range of software applications over the entire process: from planning and procurement, to the installation, commissioning and operation of the measuring devices. All the relevant device information, such as the device status, spare parts and device-specific documentation, is available for every device over the entire life cycle.  The application already contains the data of your Endress+Hauser device. Endress +Hauser also takes care of maintaining and updating the data records. |
|            | W@M is available:  • Via the Internet: www.endress.com/lifecyclemanagement  • On CD-ROM for local PC installation.   |

#### **Documentation**

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